



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
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Mr. Richard Corey  
Executive Director  
California Air Resources Board  
P.O. Box 2815  
Sacramento, California 95812

Dear Mr. Corey:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency invites you to apply for **\$150,000** of Clean Air Act - Section 105 grant funds to purchase replacement Internal Zero Span (IZS) O<sub>3</sub> instrumentation. EPA recommends that the California Air Resources Board (CARB) Monitoring and Laboratory Division reprioritize instrument replacement in collaboration with the CARB Air Quality Planning and Science Division and facilitate upgrading IZS systems at relevant ARB and district monitoring sites consistent with the corrective actions for Finding FO3 from the 2015 CARB Technical Systems Audit and Finding FO2 from the 2018 CARB Technical Systems Audit.

Please apply for **\$150,000** to be awarded under Section 105 of the Clean Air Act using Grants.gov. The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) number for this award is 66.001. With your application, please include a detailed budget and work plan, including milestones and deliverables. Your final application and work plan are due by **February 14, 2020**.

Please note that consideration for any new or additional federal funding is contingent on meeting all terms and conditions for existing EPA grants or cooperative agreements. This includes, but is not limited to, timely reporting; responding to audits/desk review reports; meeting audit/non-compliance corrective action plan milestones, and/or submitting final closeout reports within 90 days from the date a grant or cooperative agreement expires. Federal Regulations, new EPA requirements, and other additional resources are located at <http://www.epa.gov/grants>. We suggest you forward these materials to your Project Manager, Financial Officer, and any other personnel in your organization requiring this information.

Questions regarding administrative or fiscal matters should be referred to your EPA Grants Management Specialist, Alba Espitia, at (415) 972-3667. Please call your EPA Project Officer, Angela Latigue, at (415) 947-4170 with programmatic questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Stephanie Valentine".

Stephanie Valentine, Manager  
Grants and Program Integration Office

cc: Jer Yang, ARB